

Trust Headquarters Russell's Hall Hospital Dudley West Midlands DY1 2HQ

## Ref: FOI-012024-000580

Date: 15th February 2024

# Address / Email:

Dear

# **Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### Request

I am writing to submit a Freedom of Information (FOI) request regarding information related to the organisation's gas and electricity contracts, as well as details on the energy management system.

Please acknowledge this request within the legally required timeframe.

- \*\*Gas and Electricity Contracts: \*\*
- 1. Energy Provider
- 2. Annual Spend for each provider for the past 3 financial years.
- 3. Contract Duration (Including any extensions)
- 4. Contract start date
- 5. Contract Expiry Date
- 6. Contract Review Dates
- 7. Contact details of the person responsible, including job title
- 8. Total Consumption of Gas, please provide me with the latest figure in cubic metres.

9. Total Consumption of Electricity (NHH), please provide me with latest figure in kWh for the past 3 financial years.

10. Total Consumption of Electricity (HH), please provide me with latest figure in kWh for the past 3 financial years.

11. Contact details of the person responsible, including job title at the very least

Energy Management System Contract(s) - Contract(s) relating to the organisation's energy management system. An energy management system (EMS) is a system of computer-aided tools used by operators of electric utility grids to monitor, control, and optimise the performance of the generation or transmission system.

Energy Management System Provider

- 1. Annual Spend
- 2. Contract Duration (Including any extensions)
- 3. Contract Expiry Date
- 4. Contract start date
- 5. Contract Review Date
- 6. Contract Description A description of the services provided.
- 7. Brand of the software
- 8. Total number of meter points for electricity:
  - a. Non-Half Hourly (NHH) meter points
  - b. Half Hourly (HH) meter points
- 9. Total number of Gas meter points
- 10. Total number of meter points for specialist gases and liquids
- 11. Contact details of the person responsible, including job title

### Response

Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust operates a Private Finance Initiative (PFI) Contract. A PFI is a type of public private partnership (PPP) used to fund major capital investments. The hospital buildings are not owned by the Trust but by Summit Healthcare (Dudley) Ltd who the Trust has the PFI contract with. The contract allows the Trust to use the buildings to provide its clinical services. Summit Healthcare (Dudley) Ltd are responsible for providing all of the estates and facility management services to ensure the buildings are always available for use.

The Trust is contracted with Summit Healthcare (Dudley) Limited to provide the FM services in partnership with its FM Service Provider. The Trust's contract with its PFI Partner started on 17th May 2001 and expires after 17th May 2041 Costs are paid by our PFI Partner as part of a comprehensive Facilities Management Service. T

The full range of services including gas and electricity are paid for by means of a single Unitary Payment and Tariff Adjuster Mechanism which does not identify these specific costs.

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

Information Governance Manager Trust Headquarters Russell's Hall Hospital Dudley West Midlands DY1 2HQ Email: <u>dgft.dpo@nhs.net</u>

Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

Information Commissioners Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF Tel: 0303 123 1113 www.ico.org.uk

If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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